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**Licensing Nuclear Reactors in Canada:  
Recent Changes to the CNSC Approach**

by

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Beginning in 2006, the CNSC has made a number of significant changes to its processes and approaches to the licensing of new nuclear reactors in Canada. In this talk, the most significant of these changes will be discussed, including: changes to the environmental assessment processes; changes to the licensing framework; introduction of “regulatory documents”; and, finalization of the Risk Informed Decision Making process. In addition to these changes, a number of other notable CNSC initiatives and their impacts will be discussed, such as: the federal government’s Major Projects Management Office; the use of “regulatory contracts”; and, the resumption of technology reviews.

Date: **Thursday, November 20th**  
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